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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Benton Falls Associates, New York LP  
Benton Falls Associates, Maine LP

Project No. 5073-095

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LICENSE AND SOLICITING  
COMMENTS, MOTIONS TO INTERVENE, AND PROTESTS

On May 25, 2016, Benton Falls Associates, New York LP (transferor) and Benton Falls Associates, Maine LP (transferee) filed an application for the transfer of license of the Benton Falls Project No. 5073. The project is located on the Sebasticook River in Kennebec County, Maine.

The applicants seek Commission approval to transfer the license for the Benton Falls Project from the transferor to the transferee. This transfer of license reflects an internal corporate reorganization. The transferor will be merged into newly created transferee.

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Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests: 30 days from the date that the Commission issues this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, motions to intervene, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, D.C. 20426. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-5073-095.

DATED: June 8, 2016

Kimberly D. Bose,  
Secretary.